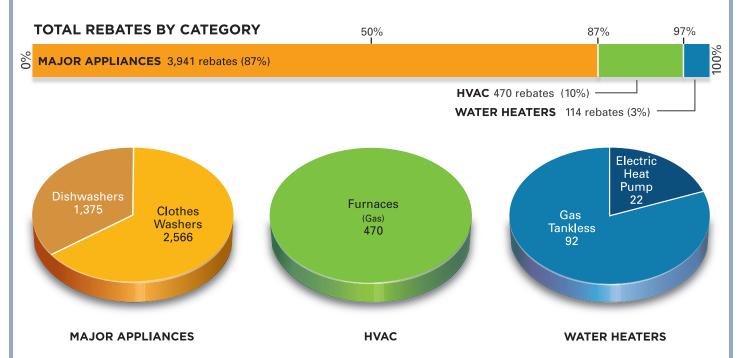
## **WYOMING**PROGRAM IMPACTS



State Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program

The State of Wyoming conducted a 9-month mail-in rebate program to help residents replace older, inefficient appliances with new, ENERGY STAR® qualified models. **Wyoming residents received 4,525 rebates, representing total annual energy savings to the state of nearly 9 billion Btu.** This is enough energy to power the major appliances in about 860 homes each year.



"The Wyoming program brought a good deal of attention to the benefits that ENERGY STAR appliances provide. Residents benefited from the financial incentive, retailers saw increased sales, and utilities will benefit from reduced energy consumption."

- Shannon Stanfill, Program Manager for the Wyoming State Energy Office

	Major Appliances	HVAC	Water Heaters	A <b>II</b> Products
Rebate Payments to Customers (Thousands)	\$325	\$118	\$17	\$460
Consumer Spending (Thousands)* and Leveraging Ratio	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sales Tax Leveraged* and Leveraging Ratio	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Cost Savings**  (Thousands)	\$171	\$45	\$11	\$227
Annual Energy Savings** (Billions of Btu)	3	5	1	9

<sup>\*</sup> Wyoming did not collect data on consumer spending. As a result, sales tax leveraged can not be calculated.

\*\* Estimated

Note: Due to rounding the sum of the first three columns may not equal the "All Products" total

## WYOMING AT A GLANCE

- Appliances in four product categories received rebates ranging from \$50 to \$250. Clothes washers were the most popular product.
- The energy savings from these new appliances is estimated to reduce annual CO<sub>2</sub>-equivalent emissions by more than 1.7 million pounds.
- Wyoming received \$510,985 from the federal government to implement the program; 90 percent of this funding went directly to rebates.
- Federal funds covered \$51,035 of administrative costs; retailers also provided \$63,318 of in-kind support.

## REBATE DISTRIBUTION BY ZIP CODE

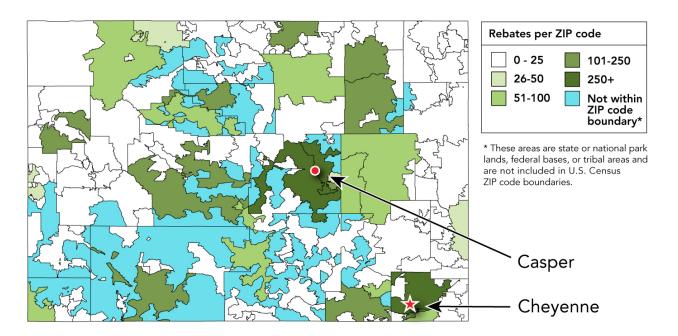
The State Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program, part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), provided almost \$300 million in funding to all 56 U.S. states and territories to support consumer rebate programs for efficient appliances. This funding helped consumers replace their existing appliances with ENERGY STAR qualified products. In Wyoming alone, the program is projected to save consumers over \$227,000 on their annual energy and water bills.

## **KEY DATES**

April 15, 2010:
Program launches with rebates on ENERGY STAR qualified clothes washers; dishwashers; gas furnaces; and gas tankless, electric heat pump, and solar water heaters.



January 25, 2011: Program closes.



Resources

DOE Energy Savers <u>www.energysavers.gov/rebates</u>

Wyoming Appliance Rebate Program <u>wyomingrebates.com</u>



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